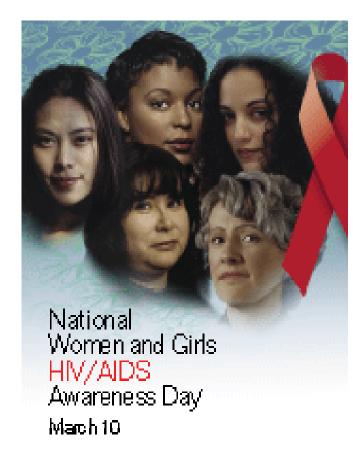


HIV/AIDS in 2005

The following are based on data from 33 states with long-term, confidential name-based HIV reporting

- HIV/AIDS was diagnosed for an estimated 9,708 women.
- High-risk heterosexual contact was the source of 80% of these newly diagnosed infections.
- Women accounted for 26% if the estimated 37,163 diagnoses for adults and adolescents.
- Of the 126,964 women living with HIV/AIDS, 64% were black, 19% were white, 15% were Hispanic, 1% were Asian or Pacific Islander, and less than 1% were American Indian or Alaska Native.
- The number of HIV/AIDS diagnoses among female adults or adolescents decreased from 11,941 in 2001 to 9.708 in 2005.
- According to a recent CDC study of more than 19,500 patients with HIV in 10 US cities, women were slightly less likely than men to receive prescriptions for the most effective treatments for HIV infection.

Centers for Disease Control (CDC)



Two FREE Events Scheduled In Sioux Falls!

Expert Panel Session for Professionals

9:00AM - 11:00AM Holiday Inn City Center Burgundy Room

Speakers & Health Fair for the Public

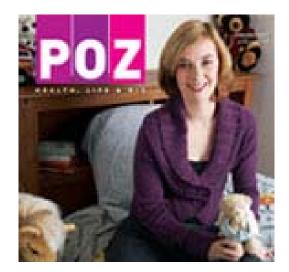
5:00PM – 8:00PM Holiday Inn City Center, Starlight Room

100 West 8th Street Sioux Falls, SD 57104

Two Events Available

For Professionals: 9:00 to 11:00AM

An **Expert Panel** of regional specialists in the area of HIV/AIDS prevention and health delivery and from people living with the disease. Representatives from the SD Department of Health, Coordinated School Health Program, the medical community, Berakhah House, and people living with HIV/AIDS will be featured. CEUs will be available for social workers, mental health counselors, prevention specialists, educators and chemical dependency counselors. *Continental breakfast will be provided.*



FREE! FREE!

For Families: 5:00 to 8:00PM

A **Health/Wellness Fair** with Chelsea Gulden will provide an educational evening for youth and parents. Bring family members to enjoy a relaxed learning atmosphere. Participants can visit fifteen displays with the latest information in wellness promotion and self care and hear presentations from people living with HIV/AIDS. *Free to the public. FREE light meal provided.*

Location:

Holiday Inn City Center, 100 West 8th Street Sioux Falls, SD 605-339-2000 (Free attached parking garage north of hotel)

Cost & Registration

While these events are provided at no charge, registration is required for both events!

Sponsors

The US Department of Health and
Human Services, Office on Women's Health
The SD Department of Health
The SD Department of Education,
Coordinated School Health Program
Volunteers of America, Dakotas,
Bowden Youth Center and
Southeastern Prevention Resource Center

Registration

(Required for both events)

Name
Agency/ School(if appropriate)
Work or Home Address
City/State
Zip
E Mail
Work Phone
Home Phone(in case of inclement weather)
Fax
will attend Expert Panel (AM)
Health Fair & Speaker (PM)

Mail this registration to: Southeastern Prevention Resource Center PO Box 89306 Sioux Falls, SD 57109

Or Fax to 605-335-5514, Attention: Michelle Questions? Call 605-335-6474, press 2, or email <u>m.majeres@voa-dakotas.org</u>